SOCIAL LIFE IN STAUNTON.

SOCIAL LIFE

STAUNTON, VA., Jan. 16,—One of the most delightful and successfully entertained parties of the scasen was on Thursday evening, when Mrs. J. Breck-inridge Catlett entertained the Ladles Whist Club. The home of the hostess was beautifully decerated with ferns and carnations in profusion, the chandellers being draped in maiden hair fern and illuminated with candles. The color scheme in the reception hail was red, and that of the pariors white. In the dining-room the carnations were pink, with candles and shades to match.

The combined effect of the contrasting colors was exceedingly preity; the beauty of the scene being complete when the presence of the ladles was added, with their beautiful costumes. Drive whist was the game of the evening, after which an elegant and elaborate supper was served, and the whole entertainment was one of the most enjoyable of the season's entertainments.

Those present were: Mesdames Harry Worthington, Carter Braxton, J. M. Warwick, Richard S. Turk, A. C. Gordon, Haller Henkel, W. P. Tams, Thomas Hogshead, Hampton H. Wayt, James R. Taylor, James Holliday, Charles K. Hoge, Herbert M. Smith, H. B. Wilson, Henry D. Peck, Fred Effinger, Carter Harrison and Misses Mary Foster, Janet Bell, Molle Michie, May Miller, Emma Atkinson and Lizzle Atkinson.

The Beverly Manor Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution met Tucsday evening, with a large attendance, Reports were read by the outgoing Regent, Mr. Charles Curry, showing the Chapter to be in a growing condition. The following officers were elected for the coming year: Mrs, McHonry Holliday, Regent; Mrs, Garnett G. Gooch, Vice-Regent; Mrs, Frank Bell, Recording Secretary; Miss Helen Hutchinson, Corresponding Secretary; Mrs, Carter, Harrison, Register, and Miss Mary P. Duvall, Historian.

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A number of young ladles and gentlemen of the county gathered at the Palmer House here Wednesday at moon to witness the marriage of Miss Saille McLear to Mr. John B. Lotts. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. I. W. Canter, of hie Methodist Church. The bride and groom are from Spottswood, where they will make their future home. The bride is a handhome young lady; the groom is a prominent young mun of Spottswood.

LEESBURG, VA.

LEESBURG, VA., Jan. 16.—Mr. Horace English, of Wilmington, Del., is the guest of his father, Mr. C. A. English. Miss Laura Hunton, of Fraquier, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Demory, of Evergreen Mills.

Miss Lena McDonald, of Prince William, has returned from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Francis, of the country.

and Mrs. Joseph Francis, of the county.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hempstone, the Misses Wise, Vandevanters and Dibrells, each entertained their friends and guests during the week at informal teas.

Mr. Earl Turner has returned from a visit to friends in Pennsylvania.

S. Carroll Chancellor, a prominent atterney, has returned from a visit to Richmond and Fredericksburg.

On Tuesday, January 19th, Clinton Hatcher Camp, C. V., will hold their annual banquet, assisted by the Daughters of the Confederacy.

Miss Mabel Wilmarth, of Washington, D. C., has returned home, after spending several weeks with the Misses Vandevanter.

Gevanter.

Mr. and Mrs. John Berkeley, of Nor-folk, have returned to Leesburg for the

winter.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. White have returned from a visit to Baltimore:
Rev. Frank P. Berkiev, of Middleburg,
has declined a call to the Baptist
Churches of Urbanna and Saluda, Mid-

RADFORD, VA.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

RADFORD, VA., Jan. 16.—Mrs. William Ingles entertained the Current Events Club very delightfully Thursday from 11 A. M. until late in the afternoon. A delicious luncheon was served in three courses, after which affairs of national and scientific import were discussed, and later the club settled itself for an afternoon of "visiting" and games, flinch, pit and mugginsi Being, played. Members present: Mrs. A. M. Venable, Mrs. M. H. Verger, Mrs. AV. N. Ragland, Mrs. Hugh C. Preston, Mrs. Warner J. Kendedine, Mrs. T. W. Simpson; guests of the club: Miss Overman, of Greensboro, N. C.; Miss Simpson, of Christiansburg, and Mrs. O. B. Pryor.

The R. G. G. is the newest of Radford's numerous feminine clubs. Its first meeting was held at the home of Miss Laura Venable Saturday afternoon. The following officers were elected: President, Miss Evelyn Lyle; secretary, Miss Emma Ragland.

At a meeting of the City Council Mon-

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At a neeting of the City Council Mon-day night, a new Board of Health was elected, composed of the following phy-sicians: Dr. W. B. Fuqua, Dr. Thomas Johnson and Dr. J. S. Smith.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

(Special to The Times-Dispaten.)
WILMINGTON, N. C., Jan. 16.—One of
the season's most popular and charming
debutantes is Miss Mary Allen Short,
the accomplished daughter of Mr. and
Mrs. Henry B. Short.
In honor of her coming out Mr. and
Mrs. Short gave a brilliant reception
Thursday afternoon. The reception was
attended by scores of society people and
it was one of the smartest functions of
the season.

A very pretty wedding scene was

the geason.

A very pretty wedding scene was enacted at immanuel Presbyterian Church last night. The happy principals were Miss Josie A. Kermon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Kermon, and Mr. Simon W. Sebreil, all of Wilmington.

What Shall We Have for Dessert? This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it to-day, Try



pared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors:—Lemon, Orange, Rasperry and Strawberry, Get a package at your grocers to-day. To cts.

facturer of this city. One of her brothers is Thurston Richardson, editor of the Bedford City Bullelin.

Mr. Henry R. Bryarly, a well known young insurance man, will leave Winchester to-morrow for Fort Smith, Arkansas, where on Monday he will marry Miss Rilzabeth Heironemous, of Knoxville, Tenn. The ceremony will take place in the home of Judge James Kent Barnes, uncle of the bride, and the happy couple will return to Winchester after a brief wedding tour. The attendants at the marriage will be Mrs. James Kent Barnes, matron of honor; Misses Mayme Mahoney, Gertrude Champlon and Bessie Rogers, bridesmald; Dr. Ragland, best man; and Messies. Denman Charles Coffee and Eugene Stevenson.

LEXINGTON, VA.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) LEXINGTON, VA., Jan. 16.-Mr. and (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

LEXINGTON, VA., Jan. 16—Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Laey, of Lexington, on Thursday celebrated their "hearl wedding," or the thirtieth anniversary of their mariage. Mrs. Lacy is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Oney, of Roanoke, Va. There were present at the celebration Mrs. Lacy's mother, Mrs. Chey; her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Embree, of Lexington; Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Embree, Miss Lois Embree and Mrs. C. M. Pearsall, of Buena Vista; Mrs. Julia A. Burdlek, of Oskalossa, Iowa: Rov. and Mrs. J. L. Light, Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Hutton and Mr. William R. Kennedy, of Lexington. Two delightful recitation, well rendered and received with appreciation, were given by Mrs. E. L. Embree—"Aunt Doletule's visit," and "A Volce from the Poor-House," Professor Martin P. Burks, of Washington and Lee University, has been elected a member of the vestry of R. B. Lee Memorial Episcopal Church to succeed Col. John D. Letcher, who has removed from the community, and Col. N. E. Tucker was elected church warden to succeed Colonel Letcher.

Mr. T. E. Jarrett, for years railroad agent at the Union depot, Lexington,

to succeed Colonel Lotener.

Mr. T. E. Jarrett, for years railroad agent at the Union depot, Lexington, has been granted a leave of absence for sixty days, on account of his health.

Mr. W. M. Steele, assistant agent, succceds Mr. Jarrett as agent.

WARRENTON.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WARRENTON, VA., Jan. 16.—Sleighing
has been largely indulged in by nearly
every one here, and the liverles have done
a good business. The cold "snap" has not
been especially beneficial to the delicate
hunter, as he stands housed in his winter quarters, and the veterinary surgeon
has had more than one patient under
his care. An opidemic of influenza or
distemper is more or less prevalent
among this class of animals, and on
account of its malignant nature has
proved very annoying to their owners.
Society lies dormant, and there is a
prospect of little doing in this direction
for a week or two.

Mrs. John Todd, of Norfolk; Miss Sue
Gorden, of Richmond; Mrs. Blodget Britton, of Warrenton, and Mrs. M. M. Green,
of Warrenton, left Friday for a trans-continental tour to California, where they
will remain until spring. St. Louis is
included in their litherary, from whence
the Southern Pacific will carry them to
their destination.

ALEXANDRIA.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
ALEXANDRIA, VA., Jan. 16.—Miss
Lila Barrett has returned from Mexico
City, accompanied by he sister-in-law
Mrs. Robert Barrett, who resides there.
Mr. Charles Davis, of Brighton, Pa.,
is visiting his brother, Capto J. V. Davis
of this city.

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Miss Ewing and Miss Maybelle Ewing, who have been visiting in Port Deposit, Md., have returned.

Mr. C. C. Leadbeter left last week for New York, from which port he will sail for a trip to the West Indies.

Mr. James Beamer, chief cierk of the U. S. Internal Revenue Office in this city is unite ill.

Mrs. Horace B. Ramy left Wednesday night for a two weeks' visit to Altoona,

night for a two was entertained on The Euchre Club was entertained on Friday night by Mrs. Albert Smoot and Mrs. Henry Robettson at the residence of the latter.

The prizes were won by Mrs. T. Marshall Jones, Mrs. Louis Scott, Dr. McGuire and Mr. Edmund Hunter.

GERMAN AT SALEM.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
SALEM, VA., Jan, 18.—The Roanoke College Cotillon Club gave a german Tuesday night at Hotel Crawford. The ball-room presented a very attractive appearance, with its profusion of palms and ferns and the girls in dainty evening dresses. A number of new and unusually pretty figures were introduced by Mr. Lewis Langhorne.

Among the dancers were Mr. Langhorne, with Miss Minnie Wiley; Mr. Howard Holland, with Miss Bossie Gallaway; Mr. Ashton Tinsley, with Miss Annie Langhorne: Mr. Robert Galloway, with Miss Nannie Logan: Mr. Royall Cannaday, with Miss Katte Dillard; Mr. Reed Bericley, with Miss Locy Biggs; Mr. H. M. Fox, with Miss Mary Harman; Mr. Arnold Shider, with Miss Mattel Henderson: Dr. Koontz, with Miss Brown; Mr. Harnold Shider, with Miss Jane Johnston; Mr. J. A. Greenland, with Miss Matel Bowman; Mr. Robert Ott, with Mrs, Ott.
Stags—Messrs, Harvey Hall, J. A. Bear, Manel Bowman, Ar. Robert C. Wars, Ott. Brigs-Messrs, Harvey Hall, J. A. Bear, Golm Logan, Robert Huband, Arthur Ward, Wyeth Peyton, S. F. Shugert, Lyle McClung, A. M. Bowman, Jr., and Charlie Bear. Chaperones-Mrs. Biggs and Mrs. Tins-Chaperones-Mrs. Biggs and Mrs. Tins-

CHESTERFIELD COURT.

Murder Trial Next Week-Supervisors to Meet.

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A very pretty wedding scene was enacted at humanuel Presbyterian Church last night. The happy principals of Mr. and Mrs. William Kermon, and Mr. Simon W. Schrell, all of Wilmington.

WINCHESTER.

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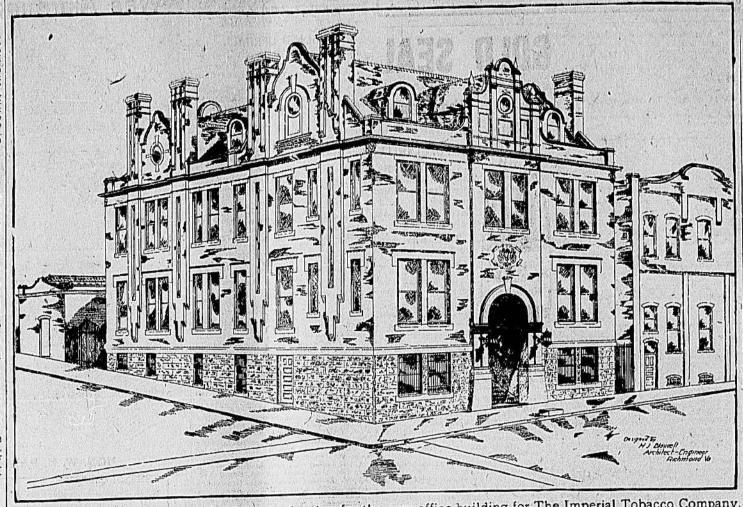
WINCHESTER, VA., Jan. 16.—The next case to come before the County Court at this term will be the trial of Berkely White colored, for murder, which will be begun next Thursday.

The Board of Supervisors will hold their first meeting of the year on the fourth Monday of this month at the courthouse, at which the new board will be organized. Two members will be married there on the 26th. Miss Richardson, of Berryville, and algranddaughter of Mrs. Will be married there on the 26th. Miss Richardson is the daughter of the late Dr. Webster Richardson, of Berryville, and algranddaughter of the late Webster Richardson, a former well-known manual retersburg turnplike along the line of its railroad does not meet the approval of the Commonwealth's attorney for this county, Judge Gregory, and he is preof the railroad does not meet the approval of the Commonwealth's attorney for this county, Judge Gregory, and he is preparing to take the matter into the courts for a reversion of the decision of the board, if possible. A number of citizens living along the turnpike near Manchester and Petersburg petitioned the board to require further work and improvement from the railway company before releasing them, and declaring the work they had done in improving the turnpike sufficient and satisfactory under the terms of their franchise from the county.

A deed has just been recorded conveying the property of the Bermuda Ochre Company, on the Appomattox River, comprising upwards of seven hundred acres to William McCullay, for \$3,500.

Chesterfield county will derive considerable over eight thousand dollars this year from taxation of railroad and telegraph lines and property. The largest sites will go to Bermuda District.

PLANS FOR IMPERIAL TOBACCO COMPANY'S SPLENDID OFFICE BUILDING, SIXTH AND CARY.



The above cut is a reproduction of a drawing for the new office building for The Imperial Tobacco Company, as it will appear when finished. The building is to be erected at the corner of Sixth and Canal Streets, this city. The design and plans were prepared by Mr. H. J. Blauvelt, Architect and Engineer, Richmond, Va. The contract has been awarded to Mr. Charles H. East, Danville, Va.

The building is to be constructed of brick, with granite and terra cotta trimmings and slate roof, and is to be occupied exclusively for offices by The Imperial Tobacco Company. The main offices and counting room are on the first floor. The second floor is to be used as a sample room, taking the light from the roof through ceiling lights constructed of prism glass. The interior finish is to be of mahogany and quartered oak, panel ceiling and wains-coating and hardwood floors; the reception hall, vestibule and lobby floors are to be of tile. The building is to be lighted throughout with electric light and provided with a power elevator. The heat and ventilation system will be of the most modern arrangement, forced draft system, radiation to be taken from the power plant in the rear, and so arranged as to provide a circulation of cool air throughout the various offices and counting room in hot weather,

The arrangement of the offices is the work of Mr. James MacDonald, resident director, and Mr. W. C. Reed

and they will no doubt be the most convenient of their kind in this country.

BRISTOL EVENTS.

NORFOLK SOCIETY.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) BRISTOL, VA., Jan. 16.-Mr. Lee C. mith has returned from Los Angeles,

very pleasantly.
Mayor and Mrs. J. A. Dickey have
gone to Southern Fforda, and will spend
a few weeks at Fort Myers and other

points.

Miss Kate Lynch, of Lebanon, Va., has been the guest of relatives in Bristol for a few days.

Rev. Cabell Hening, D. D., of the First Baptist Church, has been in Richmond this week as a delegate to the annual meeting of the Virghnia State Anti-Saloon League.

Saloon League.

Mr. F. H. Rogan, of Rogersville, was the guest of Bristol relatives this week.

Mrs. J. J. A. Powell, of Wytheville, Va., was a guest at the home of her son, Mr. J. N. Powell, in Bristol, this week.

Miss Ellan M. Anderson, of Jonesboro, was in Bristol this week, being en route for Washington. D. C., where she is to restruct in music.

for Washington, D. C., where she is to instruct in music.

Miss Eva Reeve, of Bristol, has accepted a position as teacher of ciocution and physical culture at Lebanon, Ya.

Mrs. Jesse Bosang, after a visit to Bristol relatives and frends, has returned to her home at Pulaski, Va.

Mrs. A, C. Britton and Miss Ida Sen-

NORFOLK, VA., Jan. 16 .- Mrs. Howard

Shields has cards out for an oyster reast at the Country Club next Tues-

day. This will be the first of these distinctive entertainments to be given at the

new club-house on Hampton Reads.

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Mrs. Percy Stephenson was the hostess at an informal 5 o'clock tea on Thursday ovening. Miss Pinny was the guest of honor. Mrs. Stephenson was assisted in receiving by Miss Pinny, Mrs. R. Canvart Taylor, Mrs. Georga Hobson and Mrs. Hobert M. Wilkinson.

Mrs. E. C. Hathaway entertained her card club delightfully on Thursday. Her guests were Mesdames R. K. Williams, Edward Hargraves, Ashby Green, T. A. Brown, Samuel Ferrebec, George Little, and Mrs. McNair.

Miss Katherine Yonge, of Richmond, was the guest of honor at a delightful pilt' party given by Mrs. Alfred Eldridge last Thursday.

Lieutenant Allan M. Cooke entertained Mrs. Cooke, Miss Anabel Jenkins

man, of Jonestord, have been the guests of their aunt, Mrs. M. A. Stull, this week.

Mr. J. A. Wilkinson and son are spending a few days in New York city.

Mr. and Mrs. Powelt Hale, of Jefferson City, were here this week to attend the funeral of the late Colonel George R. McCleilan.

Mr. George D. Peyers, who has been seriously ill since dast falk but who is now slowly convelesding, will go to Florida te spend the rest of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Scarles, of Embreeville, Tenn., were in Bristol this week.

Dr. E. J. Betts and daughter, of Morristown, came to Bristol this week. The latter has entered school at the Virginia Institute.

Institute. Miss Minnie Green, after a pleasant visit to relatives at Knoxville, has re-turned to her home here. Mrs. James C. Smith is the guest of her

Mrs. James C. Silvanova and Alexandra Alexandr

and Miss Lizzie Freeman at dinner last

evening on board the Nevada. Mrs. S. D. Puller and Miss Mary Dun

Mrs. S. D. Puller and Miss Mary Dun-car left yesterday for St. Augustine, Fla., to be the guests of Mrs. Dismukes, Mrs. William Boykin, who has been vieiting her daughter, Mrs. Robert Baldwin, in Ghent, left this afternoon for Baltimore, accompanied by her nice, Miss Cornella McBlair. Mrs. Price and daughter left Wednes-day to visit friends in Richmond.

Honor Mrs. Amory.

The Ladles' Aid Society of the Barton Heights M. E. Church has adopted very tender resolutions out of respect for Mrs. W. L. Amory, who died December 11th. Mrs. Amory was deeply interested in the work of the society, and much beloved by her associates.

CALGARY, N. W. T.—Fire starting from the furnace of the new Normandle Theatre witted the whole block to-day, causing a loss of \$280,000. The theathro was to have been used to-night for the first time.

FREDERICKSBURG SOCIAL.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
FREDERICKSBURG, VA., Jan. 16.—
The members of the Washington Guards and their friends have had a lively time this week, having inaugurated a big Bazaar at the Opera House on Monday night, which has continued through the week with varied and attractive programmes for each night. Music has been a popular feature, and one night the Dramatic Club of Fredericksburg College gave a perfommee of "Box and Cox" to the pleasure and amusement of all. The fancy tables and refreshment booths have been well patronized by the large crowds attending, and many beautiful and valuable articles have been disposed of by raille.

large crows attending, divided have been disposed of by raffle.

On Thursday afternoon the Guards gave a mounted parade, making a fine appearance and attracting a great deal of attention. Most of the members have led a strenuous week of it in working for the Bazaar, and their efforts have been crowned with success. The proceeds of the Bazaar will be used for defraying the expenses of the company on a trip to the St. Louis Exposition.

Miss Juliet Eddins, of Orange, has been the guest of Miss Margaret Crismond this week.

Miss Byrd Laughlin has returned from a visit to friends in Petersburg.

Mrs. Robert Hart, of Fauquier county, was a visitor this week at the home of the Misses Hart on Hanover Street.

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Miss Byrdle Burruss and Mrs. C. J.

Jones are the guests of relatives in Rich-

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Misses Lena Harrison and Ellen D.
Wallace left this week for a visit to
friends in Washington.

Mr. W. H. Hurkamp has returned from
a visit to friends in Wilmington, N. C.
Mrs. W. S. Parran, of Barbonrsville,
has gone to Portsmouth to spend the
winter months.

Mr. Chandler King, of Pittsburg, Pa.,
was a guest several days this week of
his mother, Mrs. Anna P. King.
Mr. W. H. Brulle, of Richmond, was a
visitor here this week.

Mrs. Martha K. Daniel is the guest of
relatives in Richmond.

Miss Nannie Dix, of Washington, has
been on a visit to her parents here this
week.

Miss Susic Bradley is visiting her re latives, Mr. Daniel Miller and family, in

Baltimore.

Mr. E. K. Stokes, of New York, is the guest of his mother, Mrs. Helen S.

White.
Mrs. A. R. Chichester and daughter,
Mrs. Hallie Chichester, of Stafford, are
visiting Mr. John 1. Lewis and family,
at Bethesda, Md.
Miss Julia Horne, of Richmond, who

has been the guest here of Mrs. S. G

friends. Miss Alma Cosby, of Richmond, is the guest of Miss Kate Kishpaugh.

Progressive Euchre.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CREWE, VA., Jan. 18.—The residence of Superintendent W. S. Becker, of the Norfolk and Western Rallroad, was ablaze with light and beauty on the evening of the 14th, the occasion being a progressive euchre party given by Mrs. Becker to a few of her friends. Refreshments were served at different times during the evening.

Among those playing were Miss McDaniel, of Roanoke: Mr. and Mrs. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Nicholson, Mr. and Mrs. Smithson, Mrs. Dr. Bryant, Miss Mamie Wade, Rosamond Putzel, Corinne Lowis and Mazie Gills, Messrs. Woodward, Burke, Payne and Sluffeburger.

Miss Mazie Gills won the first prize,

Miss Mazie Gills won the first prize, a beautiful hand-painted cake plate; Miss Corinne Lewis the booby, a toy watch and chain.

Mr. Woodward the first prize for the gentiemen, a handsome pocket-book; Mr. Nicholson the booby, a little star hank.

plg bank.

NELSON COUNTY

An Exciting Chase and Three Foxes Caught in a Few Days.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
AYLMER, VA., Jan. 16.—An exciting fox chase took place here Thursday. weather being frosty, all were in good running order, and soon men, horses and dogs, were in full cry at a slapping pace

after a big gray fox. He doubled back



and forth across creeks and streams, over hills, and up the steep mountain sides of the Blue Ridge, closely followed by

of the blue stage.

The chase lasted three hours, and the fox was finally run down and seized by the hounds at White Cak Spring. All thoroughly enjoyed the chase. This is the third fox caught here in the last

GUARDS' BAZAAR.

Crosses of Honor to be Presented to Confederates

ed to Confederates.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

FREDERICKSBIRG, VA. Jan. 16.—

The Washington Guards closed their bazaar, which had been in progress at the
Opera House since Monday night, tonight. It was a success in every respect
and a large sum was realized, which will
be used in defraying the expenses of the
company on a trip to the St. Louis Exposition some time during the year.

The property formerly occupied by the
Eagle Shee Company here, just back of
the Exchange Hotel, on Hanover Street,
has been converted into an apariment
building, and will be used as an annex
to the hotel.

Mrs. S. H. Saunders has purchased of
Colonal E. D. Cole n handsome building

Bone Pains, Itching, Scabby Skin Discases, swellings, Carbuncles, Pimples, Scropermanently cured by taking Bott Blood Balm. It destroys the active son in the blood. IF YOU HAVE ac and pains in bones, back and takes. son in the blood. IF YOU HAVIS across and pains in bones, back and joints, Itching, Scabby Skin, Blood feels hot or thin, Swellen Glands, Hisings and Bumps on the Skin, Mucous Patches in Mouth, Sore Throat, Pimples or offensive eruptions, Copper-Colored Spots or Rash on Skin, all run down for incfvots, Illeers on any part of the body, Hair or Byebrows falling out, Carbuneles or Bolls, take

Botanic Blood Balm, guaranteed

Louize even the worst and most deep-

Botanic Blood Balm, guaranteed to cure even the worst and most deep-scated cases, where doctors, patent medicines and hot springs fail. Heals all scres, stops all aches and pains, reduces all swellings, makes blood pure and rich, completely changing the entire body into a clean, healthy condition. B.B. has cured thousands of cases of Blood Poison, even after reaching the last slages.

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Old Rheumatism, Catarrh, Eczema are caused by an awful poisoned condition of the Blood. B.B.B. cures Catarrh, stops Hawking and Spitting, cures Rheumatism, with Aches and Palns, heals all Scabs, Scales, Eruptions, 'Watery Rilsters, with Itching and Scratching of Eczema, by giving a pure, healthy blood supply to affected parts.

Cancer Cured.

Cancer Cured. Cancer Cured.

Botanic Blood Baim cures Cancers of all Kinds, Suppurating Swellings, Eating Sores, Tumors, Ugly Ulcers. It kills the Cancer Polson and heals the Sores or worst Cancer perfectly. If you have a persistent Pimple, Wart, Swellings, Shooting, Stinging Pains, take Blood Baim and they will disappear before they develop into Cancer. Many apparently hopeless cases of Cancer cured by taking Botanic Blood Baim.

OUR QUARANTEE.
Take a large bottle of Botanic Blood
Balm (B.B.B.) as directed on label,
and when the right quantity is taken a cure is certain, sure and lasting, not cured your money will asting. not cured your money will promptly be refunded without argument.

Botanic Blood Balm (B.B.B.) is Botanic Blood Balm (B.B.B.) is pleasant and safe to take. Thoroughly tested for thirty years. Composed of Pure Botanic Ingredients. Strengthens Weak Kidneys and Weak Stomachs, cures Dyspepsia. Sold by all Druggists, 31 per Large Bottle, with complete directions for home cure. SAMPLE SENT FREE by writing Blood Balm Co., No. 45 Blood Balm Building, Atlanta, Ga. Describe your trouble, and special free medical advice, also sent in scaled letter.

of on Washington Avenue, on which she will erect a fine, modern residence.

Crosses of honor will be presented to ex-Confederate soldiers by Fredericks-burg Chapter, Daughters of the Confederate to the couries of the Confederate soldiers. ours Chapter, Daugniers of the Confederacy, at the courthouse here on Tuesday night next, January 19th, when an attractive programme, including addresses, music, etc., will be carried out.

Mr. John C. Willis is critically ill at his home here. Mis daughter, Miss Marches

his home here. His daughter, Miss Nor. Willis, who is teaching in West Virginia has been telegraphed for.

FEARED OPERATION FOR APPENDICITIS

(Special to The Times-Dispetch.)
NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—Millonaire tobacce manufacturer, patron of the fine
arm, member of exclusive clubs and happily married, George Storm, the president
of the Owl Commercial Company, member
of the firm of Stratton & Storm and one
of the best known tobacco manufacturers
in this country, went to his office yesterday, chatted pleasantly with his partner and his associates and then, in the
privacy of his office, placed a revolver
to his head and blew out his brains.
As his norrified partner, Peter Miller,
and his stenographer, Mrs. Burnett, heard
the shot, they rushed into Mr. Storm's
office and found him lying in his chair,
his head fallen between his arms upon the
cetter of the desk. He died almost inStorte.

stantly.

The family and business associates of the suicide are at a loss to explain the tragedy. Investigations by them and the pelicy, afford no reason for the act save that of fear of a possible operation for appendicitis.

DISEASE LURKS IN THE SWEET KISS

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

MILWAUKEE, WIS., Jan. 18.—"I believe the main way in which disease is communicated is by kissing," announced Dr. L. B. Sperry, a lecturer from Oberin, O., who will begin a series of lectures at Lincoln Hal next Sunday evening, under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A.

Dr. Sperry was first a physician, then precessor at Carlon Codege, Minesota, and then professor at Ripon Codege. For the last few years he has been lecturing about the country, his subjects being in general on the art and science of ving, "Smeking, spitting and kissing are all in the same category of questonable practices," said he. "I quit kissing years ago, This blubbering, this everybodysits the-baby plan is enough to kill the child with disease from every cornor of the universe."

Speaks on "Dynamite," Rev. Dr. John Hannon will deliver his acture on "Dynamito" at Coreoran Hall an Friday night for the benefit of Sheltering Arms Hospital and the Stove Mounters' Union.

No Charters. The Corporation Commission granted no charters yesterday.
The case in relation to rates in Harrischurg will come up at an adjourned meeting on Wednesday.

INAUGURATION OF PARLOR AND DINING CARS ON SEABOARD AJR LINE TRAINS NOS. 27 AND 86.

NOS. 27 AND 56.

With the view of accommodating their patrons, the Scaboard have inaugurated Laily Cafe Dining Car service between Washington and Hamlet, on their trains Nos. 27 and 66. These cars are supplied daily from the best markets with all the delicacies of the season.

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